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Dear Lee:-

We got almost as much thrill as you did after reading the description of your first flight. I like your description of it so much I took the letter with me to the Governor's apartment last Friday night and read it to him. He enjoyed it also, and sends his best. There has been a blank so far as letters are concerned since the one written last Monday night - so we are anxiously awaiting the news of the second and third trips into the air. Mother thinks you may be on the move somewhere. I scouted the notion. We'll wait and see.

I called Mr. Hyde the other evening and read him your letter. Bill hasn't flown yet - but expects to move from where he is to some spot soon.

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I saw the Blue Rocks doubleheader the other night. The Rocks hit well - especially Callahan and Burgoon. The attendance will be hit pretty hard by the [gas] rationing program I think. You don't go back night after night, gamble on a walk in the rain, etc. if it is so inconvenient. Ordinarily parks are located on trolley lines.

I wish you could see our swimming pool. We have discontinued the use of the old dam and have cut the stream directly into the pool, spilling it out at the far end. We get thus a steady current through the pool. We have deepened one end considerably. When we get through landscaping it will be fine.

I told you, I think, that I have Howell helping out while he is home.

Well, take care of yourself - and always the best for you!

Dad~